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- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of incomplete reply
Nonprovisional Application dated December 12, 2001, in
connection with the above-identified application, attached
hereto is an executed Declaration for Patent Application in
compliance with 37 CFR 1.63. In addition, a payment in the
amount of \$130.00 to cover the required surcharge for filing
the declaration is also attached, in accordance with 37 CFR
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